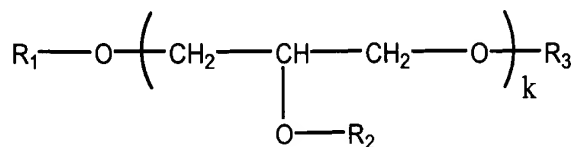


- (a) one or more UV filter substances comprising one or more sulphonic acid groups or sulphonate groups; and
- (b) one or more surface active substances selected from the group consisting of surface active substances having the structural formula:



wherein,

k represents 2 to 8; and

R₁, R₂, and R₃ independently represent a member selected from the group consisting of:

- i) hydrogen, except that at least one of R₁, R₂, and R₃ must be other than hydrogen;
- ii) branched or unbranched, saturated or unsaturated aliphatic radicals; and
- iii) branched or unbranched, saturated or unsaturated acyl radicals, wherein the acids on which said acyl radicals are based are independently selected from the group consisting of:

- 1) branched or unbranched, saturated or unsaturated aliphatic carboxylic acids having from 8 to 24 carbon atoms, in which up to 3 aliphatic hydrogen atoms can be substituted by hydroxy groups; and

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R' is selected from the group consisting of branched and unbranched alkyl groups having 1 to 20 carbon atoms;

b represents 0 to 200; and

to form an oil-in-water (O/W) emulsion or a water-in-oil (W/O) emulsion.